THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI RASHEED MASOOD): (a) and (b). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House

Enucleation of eyes from dead bodies

1968. DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state

(a) whether there is any proposal for making legislation for the enucleation of the eyes from the dead bodies in the hospitals; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI RASHEED MASOOD): (a) and (b) A proposal for bringing out a comprehensive legislation for use of human tissues and organs and their use for therapeutic purposes is under consideration of the Government The proposed legislation will *inter-alia* provide for removal of organs such as eyes, kidneys etc. from cadavers also.

Keratoplasty Operation Units in Hospitals

1969 DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of the ophthalmic hospitals under the control of Central Government in the country which are having Keratoplasty operation units;

(b) whether there is any proposal to establish Keratoplasty Surgical units in all the hospitals attached to Medical Colleges under the Central Government; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI RASHEED MASOOD): (a) There is no Ophthalmic Hospital under the Control of Central Government.

(b) and (c) Keratoplasty facility is available in all the hospitals attached to Medical Colleges under the Central Government.

Facilities in Ophthalmic Hospitals

1970. DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) how many Central Government Opthalmic hospitals in the country are having the facilities of Laser, Electro Retinography, Ultraconography and Fluroscene Angeography; and

(b) whether there is any proposal to provide these facilities in all the hospitals attached to Medical Colleges under the control of Central Government?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI RASHEED MASOOD): (a) There is no Ophthalmic Hospital under the Central Government

(b) Yes, Sir. These facilities are being provided in a phased manner in all the hospitals attached to Medical Colleges under the control of Central Government

Public grievances over maintenance of airports

1971. SHRI MENTAY PADMANABHAM: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the staff of International Airport Authority of India and National Airport Authority are never available to hear public grievances regarding the running and maintenance of various airports; and

(b) whether any directives have been

given to the officers of these organisations to make rounds and meet public at the airports to remove their irritants and grievances?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

Payment of Risk Allowance

1972. SHRI ATAL BIHARI VAJPAYEE:
SHRI VIREN J. SHAH:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether his Ministry has identified the various categories of employees to whom the 'risk allowance' is to be given as per the recommendations of the Fourth Pay Commission;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; if not, what are the reasons therefor; and

(c) by when and since which date the risk allowance will be paid to the eligible employees?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI RASHEED MASOOD): (a) to (c) A one person Committee of Dr. (Mrs.) Kasturi Aggarwal is looking into the question of identifying relatively hazarduous areas for the purposes of risk allowance to the various categories of employees who may be considered eligible for the same by this Committee. The Committee has submitted its report and the same is under consideration.

Charges against Chairman of Indian Potash Limited by Company Law Board

1973. SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some thirtysix or more charges have been levelled against Mr. Sohan Singh, Chairman, Indian Potash Limited by the Company Law Board;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what action has been taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI AJIT SINGH): (a) to (c) Certain complaints were received in the year 1986, alleging, among others, shifting of headquarters of Shri Sohan Singh, Managing Director of Indian Potash Limited, from Madras to Delhi, purchase of cars for his use, payment of daily allowance to him in excess of the permissible limits, leasing of premises owned by him and his family to the company and non-disclosure of closing stock of gunny bags in the Profit and Loss Account of the Company. As per the available records, enquiries were made in the matter and no action under the Companies Act, 1956, was considered necessary.

Application for a Letter of Intent by Tamil Nadu Minerals Ltd.

1974. SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Tamil Nadu Minerals Ltd. has applied for a letter of intent to start Graphite and allied industries of Sivagangoi in Tamil Nadu;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) whether some foreign companies are interested to collaborate and start industries utilising this valuable ore and have apporached the Central Government to that effect; and